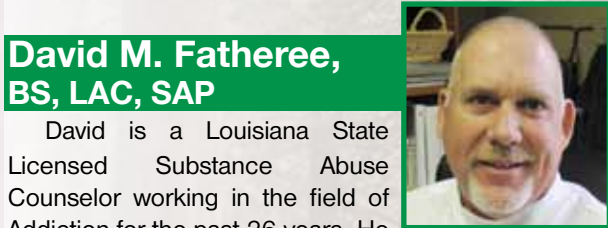




### Dr. Michael Prejean

Dr. Michael Prejean, a native of Sunset, Louisiana, is a 1971 graduate of LSU Medical School and has dual residencies in Internal Medicine and Psychiatry.

As a well-respected leader among physicians. Office of Substance Abuse and is currently residing as Medical Director of Priority Substance Abuse Program. His vast knowledge and experience of both Internal Medicine, Addictionology, and Psychiatry has been a proven asset. We are extremely fortunate and honored to have Dr. Michael Prejean as a part of our Priority Staff!



### David M. Fatheree, BS, LAC, SAP

David is a Louisiana State Licensed Substance Abuse Counselor working in the field of Addiction for the past 26 years. He is currently the Program Director at Priority Behavioral Health's Outpatient Treatment/Educational Program in New Iberia, LA. He has worked as a substance abuse counselor on an Inpatient, Outpatient, and Halfway House level.

He is a graduate of ULL in Behavioral Sciences. David has conducted numerous lectures, group therapy, individual counseling sessions related to substance abuse. He also designed offender specific court approved substance abuse educational and treatment programs. These programs are currently used today for the 15th Judicial Courts, City Court and Pre-trial Diversion Program in Lafayette Parish. He also provides mandated evaluations for employees with DOT and Non-DOT workplace alcohol/substance offenses. He is currently certified through the United States Department of Transportation (DOT-SAP).

David has dedicated his entire career to helping those persons afflicted with chemical dependency. David believes with all his heart that change/recovery is possible for the chemical dependant person and their families. He is a native of South Louisiana and plans on spending his life in this area. He enjoys spending time with his two children, golf, travel, and the outdoors.

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## OUTPATIENT ADDICTION

Treatment for Alcoholism, Drug Abuse and other Addictive Disorders

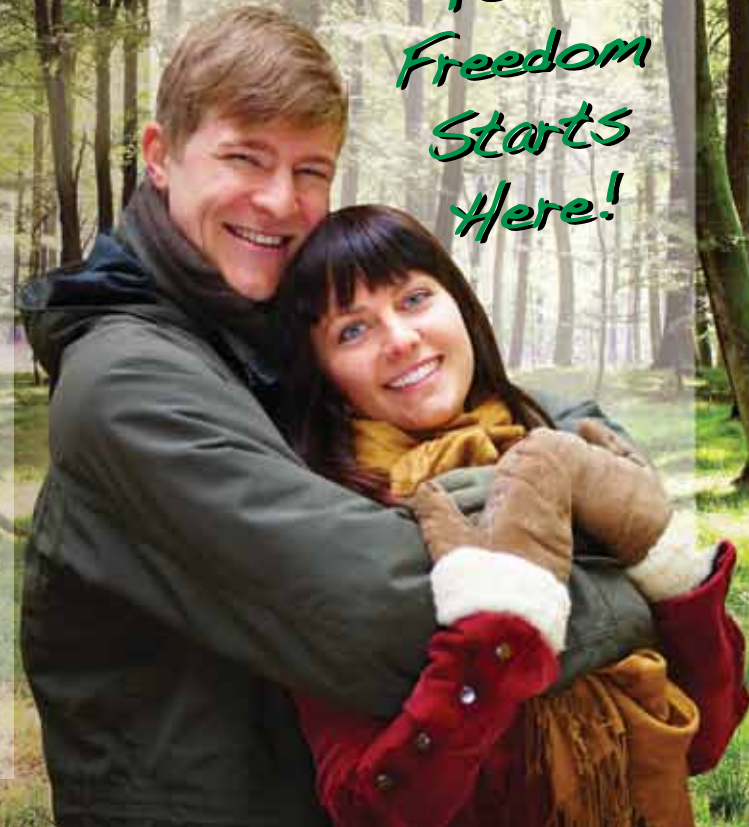
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*Priority Behavioral Health's mission is to provide effective Outpatient Substance Abuse services while ensuring the dignity and respect of our clients. We believe our approach offers a level of care appropriate to meet the needs of many alcohol/drug-addicted people. Priority Behavioral Health is also committed to individualized care utilizing a multi-modal, multidiscipline staff without regard to race, sex, religion or national origin.*

## Addiction Services Offered

- Affective Specific Court Approved Substance Abuse Education
- Comprehensive Assessment
- Education
- OWI - Offenses
- Intervention
- SAP-DOT Evaluations
- Anger Management

*Cost for the programs are quite reasonable. Most insurance providers offer financial support for outpatient claims. Because each person is handled individually, adjustable rates are available for those seeking help.*

### Comprehensive Assessment

The assessment is used to determine the level of care needed to treat the substance abuse or dependence. Included in the assessment is the Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory (SASSI-3), administered by a SASSI certified clinician.

### Substance Abuse/DUI Educational Program

The flexible education and group therapy program aims at helping individuals gain a better understanding of their alcohol and other drug addiction and abuse issues. This program's focus is on awareness, guidance, and prevention.

### DOT/SAP Services

Priority Behavioral Health's staff are trained on the new DOT requirements for substance abuse professionals and are qualified to provide DOT/SAP service for employers and employees who are required to meet the new DOT alcohol and drug regulations. We provide complete and comprehensive SAP evaluations and follow-up services as needed.

### Individual Therapy

This service is offered in conjunction with all of our programs, or on an individual basis. Addressed through this therapy would be issues such as: substance abuse, family, marital, relapse prevention, recovery/support, and stress management.

### Intervention

This service is offered to the primary support system, such as friends and family. It is a process whereby an active alcohol/drug abuser will be "intervened upon" in order to make that person see the truth of

his/her addiction. This often results in the abusers seeking treatment.

### Aftercare

This program is the phase of the treatment continuum, immediately following an inpatient or outpatient phase of primary care. After care consists of weekly group sessions designed to assist the individual with recovery issues such as: relapse prevention and education, self-help group participation, re-entry into the family, the workplace and society.

**Priority Behavioral Health offers Evening Outpatient treatment which allows patients to remain at their jobs while going through recovery.**

## Outpatient Treatment

- Medical History and Physical Evaluations
- Supportive and Therapeutic Environment
- Individual and Group Therapy
- 12 Step Focus and Involvement
- Coping Skills Development
- Family Therapy
- Aftercare